

Examiner-Initiated Interview Summary	Application No.		Applicant(s)	
	10/780,124		JACKSON ET AL.	
	Examiner		Art Unit	
Jennifer H. Gay		3672		

All Participants:

(1) Jennifer H. Gay.

(2) Walter Grollitsch.

Date of Interview: 20 October 2005

Type of Interview:

☒ Telephonic

☐ Video Conference

☐ Personal (Copy given to: ☐ Applicant ☐ Applicant's representative)

Exhibit Shown or Demonstrated: ☐ Yes ☒ No

If Yes, provide a brief description:

Status of Application: Allowed

(3) _____

(4) _____

Time: _____

Part I.

Rejection(s) discussed:

Claims discussed:

21

Prior art documents discussed:

WO 99/18328

Part II.


SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW DESCRIBING THE GENERAL NATURE OF WHAT WAS DISCUSSED:

See Continuation Sheet

Part III.

☒ It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview, since the interview directly resulted in the allowance of the application. The examiner will provide a written summary of the substance of the interview in the Notice of Allowability.

☐ It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview, since the interview did not result in resolution of all issues. A brief summary by the examiner appears in Part II above.


Jennifer H. Gay
Primary Examiner

(Examiner/SPE Signature)

(Applicant/Applicant's Representative Signature – if appropriate)

Continuation of Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was discussed: The examiner contacted applicant's attorney to inform him that upon further review it had been decided that the WO 99/18328 could be used to reject claim 21 with element "20" defining over the "plurality of relief grooves". The examiner suggested that the following be added to the end of line 5 of claim 21 in order to place the claim in condition for allowance; --and at least one profile cut formed in an outer surface of the body--. Applicant's attorney agreed to this change. An examiner's amendment along with a Supplemental Notice of Allowance to follow..